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In re Patent Application of:
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Absorption Inhibitor(s) with Blood :
Modifier(s) for Treating Vascular
Conditions :

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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

This request for reconsideration is being submitted concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and in response to the Final Office Action mailed on July 28, 2004 ("Final Office Action"). A Notice of Appeal and Appeal Brief had previously been filed in response to the Final Office Action.

Applicants respectfully request that prosecution in this application be reopened.

REMARKS

In embodiments set forth in claims 1 and 47, Applicants have discovered compositions and combinations comprising:

- (a) at least one sterol absorption inhibitor represented by Formula (I):

